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SOURCE	1. Only a roar detail of about 150 men was quartered in the Tauentzien Kaserne, Wittenberg (N 52/E 37), on 30 April 1950. Subsequently, about 200 recruits arrived there so that the barracks were occupied by about 350 troops on 8 May 1950. Intensive traffic previously observed at the division headquarters had subsided. A colonel was observed leaving the gate of the division headquarters building and boarding an express train to Jueterbog. Three officers and 38 EM wearing red-bordered black epaulets and carrying arms and rolled-up shelter halves, moved into the barracks at 10 p.m. on 8 May 1950. They came from the direction of the railroad station. Truck	25X1A
	2. The Beseler Kaserne was occupied by a 40 to 50 - man guard detail with red-bordered black enaulets without branch-of-service insignia. moved into the barracks.	
	3. Rear details totalling 200 to 300 men were stationed in the Flak Kaserne. Training activity was not observed.	

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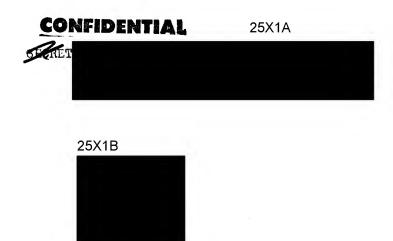
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- 4. A gate guard, a guard sentinel and 15 to 20 men in front of the guard house were observed at the equipment depot. *
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- * Comment. The report confirms the transfer to the Werder-Markendorf training area of most of the elements of the 6th Gds Tank Div, in and after mid-April 1950. The arrival of recruits in the Spring of 1950 was also reported from numerous other military posts.

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